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MARY GARRETT NAMED TO GET SCHOLARSHIP

**Danforth Foundation Gives
Funds for Camp Expense.**

Mary Garrett, a freshman at the College, has been announced by the Personnel Council as the recipient of a free scholarship to the American Youth Foundation Leadership Training Camp, Shelby, Mich., July 30 to Aug. 12. The scholarship is made available by the Danforth Foundation, St. Louis.

Camp Miniwanka, where some three hundred students will live together in tents for two weeks, is located in wooded dune country on the shores of Lake Michigan, Stony Lake and Stony Creek. Students will have the advantages of social and recreational buildings, tennis and badminton courts, swimming docks, diving tower, sail boats, canoes, row boats.

Courses will be given in Christian ideals, personal foundations, personal enrichment, leadership principles, and leadership practice. A system of personal measurement, including individual "prescriptions" based on discovered needs, is an important part of the training program.

Three other students in past years have held such scholarships as the one Miss Garrett is named to receive. Mona Alexander and Kenneth Allen went to the camp in the summer of 1942 and Martha Polsley in the summer of 1943.

Miss Helen Harrison, Lexington, Ky., who is in the University of Missouri this year on a Danforth Foundation fellowship, was a visitor on the campus of the College April 19. She is studying religious education in colleges and came here for a conference with campus leaders in religious education.

Two Men Resign to Take New Positions Elsewhere

Mr. John J. Rudin of the Speech Department has resigned to take a position in the Divinity School of Duke University. He has been a member of the faculty of the College for four years.

Mr. Eugene Seubert of the English faculty, who has been on leave since June, 1944, has resigned to continue his study at Washington University.

Roberto de la Rosa Is to Speak at Next Assembly

Mr. Roberto de la Rosa, from Mexico, will speak on the subject, "Mexico and her relations with the United States" at the assembly Wednesday morning, May 2. He will appear in native costume, and will use music and songs as means of illustration.

Mr. de la Rosa, a graduate of the University of Mexico, is on a good will mission to promote better inter-American relations. This is part of his training previous to his entering the Diplomatic Service of Mexico. He has traveled extensively through the continent in the past four years.

MANY STUDENTS ARE HERE FOR CONTESTS

**Speech, Dramatics, Music,
Commerce, Are Entered.**

Spring contests in speech, dramatics, commerce, and music were held at the College on April 19 and 20.

On Thursday, contests were held in prose and poetry reading, oratory, extemporaneous speaking, and dramatics. Dr. Carl Dillinger of the Speech department at Park College, Parkville, was the judge. Public speaking and parliamentary procedure contests for vocational agriculture students were held on Friday at Horace Mann.

Twenty-one schools entered contestants in the Commerce events of the Spring Contests, according to Miss Inez Lewis, acting head of the Commerce department. All of the commerce events took place on Friday.

A grand total of 194 students took part in commercial contests, which included elementary bookkeeping and accounting, shorthand (novice class), shorthand (amateur class), typewriting (speed, novice class), typewriting (speed, amateur class), and typewriting comprehensive test.

Students from twenty-eight schools entered the contests in the music events on Friday. During the day contests included voice and instrumental solos. The boys' and girls' quartets, girls' trios, girls' and boys' glee clubs, girls' vocal ensembles, mixed vocal ensembles and choruses, instrumental ensembles, and bands appeared in the evening contests on Friday night.

ALL HONOR MEMORY OF LATE PRESIDENT

**Navy Holds Service April 14,
College, April 18.**

The Navy V-12 conformed to the proclamation made by President Harry S. Truman that April 14 be set aside as a day of mourning for Franklin D. Roosevelt. Services in memory of the late president were held at 9:30 at the Horace Mann auditorium on April 14.

Margaret Baker played the organ prelude and "Home on the Range." The Reverend L. H. Mahard of the First Presbyterian Church, gave the invocation. Lieut. Clarence Nystrom read the official notification of the president's death.

Edwin Smith, A/S, represented fellow V-12 students with "The Seaman's Viewpoint." Miss Helen Marchbanks, Y2/C, sang the "Lord's Prayer" and led the audience in singing "America." Following the presentation and securing of the colors, Lieut. John Kessler, the Commanding Offi-

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Commencement Speaker Secured By President

President Uel W. Lamkin announces that he has secured Mr. Laurence Duggan, Washington, D. C., to give the Commencement address at the College on Wednesday morning, May 23, at 10:00 o'clock, and President Emory Lindquist of Bethany College, Lindsborg, Kan., to give the Baccalaureate address on Sunday morning, May 20, at 11:00 o'clock.

The committee in charge of commencement affairs, named by the president, is made up of Miss Mattie M. Dykes and Miss Winde Ann Caruth, business adviser and social adviser, respectively, of the Senior class; Mr. J. M. Porterfield and Mr. Ralph Hartzell, advisers of the Junior class; and Dr. Blanche H. Dow, adviser of the foreign students, four of whom are members of the graduating class.

Committees from the Senior class are at work on student plans for commencement, including their gifts, the Senior breakfast, which is a tradition of the college, and the Class Day exercises. Miss Betty Jo (Jodi) Montgomery is president of the class.

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THE COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will revere and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

WE MUST GIVE

As V-E day is drawing nearer, and the Pacific war is drawing the net tighter around Japan, the Seventh War Loan Drive is coming. It starts May 14 and continues through June 30. It is one of the two war loan drives to be held in 1945 and has the largest quota ever asked for—seven billion dollars.

The United States still has the war in Europe to finance. Then on the other side of the globe, the heroic effort of obtaining final victory will take time and a great amount of equipment, which has to be moved great distances and has to be supplied day by day. The dollars of the American people will do more than finance this program. They will provide medical attention and care to the wounded.

The patriotic American safeguards his own future and his country's by putting every dollar over necessary expenses into purchases of War Bonds. These purchases keep down inflation during the war and guard against the catastrophe of a possible post-war deflation.

It is true that every American will have to dig deeper to buy more War Bonds during the coming drive than he has bought before, but each should do his part for his own sake and for his country's. The man at the front does not set a limit to what he can do; he gives all he can, even though it means life itself.

To Service Folk

From the Dean

Under PL 340, single men are entitled to \$50.000 per month subsistence. Board and room will be available in the Men's Quad for \$65.00 per quarter, paid in advance. Service men will have at least \$85 per quarter for miscellaneous expenses. All costs of instruction except living costs are to be paid to the College by the Veterans Administration.

Plan now to go to College when the war is over and write for any help you may want about your college courses.

—J. W. Jones.

CALENDAR

Monday, April 30—

String Ensemble, Room 207—6:45
W. A. A., Gym—7:30

Tuesday, May 1—

Chorus, Room 205—6:15
Senate, Den—7:00

Wednesday, May 2—

F. T. A., Room 102—5:00
Recital, Mary Ellen Tebow and Betty Lou McPherson, Residence Hall
Lobby—8:30

Thursday, May 3—

W. A. A., Room 113—5:00
Chorus, Room 215—6:15
Phi Sigs, Den—6:45
Dance Club, Room 114—7:30

Saturday, May 5—

Phi Sig Picnic

Gene Yenni Writes

"The brightest adventure in my work—and indeed since coming to India," writes Pfc. Gene Yenni, former editor of the Northwest Missourian, "was the performance of the Midsummer Night's Dream by a company of people from the British Armed Forces here in Delhi. It was done in a natural airy setting in the forest . . . In point of setting, directing, costuming, acting—in everything, it was the most superb Shakespeare that I ever hope to see. How I wish you could have seen it!"

"Imagine, then, a star-covered forest stage on a warm India night, with the croaking of frogs in the ponds and the cawing of ravens in the trees to make the audience constantly aware of the naturalness of the surroundings. And suddenly from out of the darkness comes the fairy music, and the torches of the fairies are seen approaching from a distance. The lack of stage was sheer joy, for there were no clumsy entrances and exits—people just came walking thru the woods and happened to stop and talk in front of the audience . . .

STROLLER

"What on earth is the matter with that girl?" thought the Stroller as he saw Joann Reed fishing for something in a waste paper basket on first floor. In a few minutes, up came Joann with a handful of letters. Absent-mindedly, she had thrown them into the waste basket instead of into the mailbox.

After this the Stroller is going to take mathematics. He passed by the door of one of the math rooms the other day and saw Marles Busby passing candy to the group. It seems Marles had worked out a paper on Mathematics in Cooking and had demonstrated how math goes into candy-making. Dr. Lane must have an eye to business in that class.

Copy readers do have some fun. The Stroller caught Esther Miller laughing as she read Gloria Lee Thompson's story. Peeping over Miss Miller's shoulder, he read, "Then fits were presented to the seniors." Miss Miller blue-penciled it "gifts," for she seemed to think it would be bad for anybody to give the poor-seniors any more fits than they are having about deciding upon which teaching job to take.

"The lighting was professional and it was extremely easy for Puck to achieve his mysterious effects, as at one moment he would be under a rock at the feet of the audience, and in another instant he would appear in the branches of the nearest tree. And imagine our surprise when in the hunting scene, out of a cloud of dust, should appear Hippolyta and Theseus and their retinue, charging madly through the wood—on horseback!"

Private Yenni goes on to describe the acting of various characters and especially their diction. Finally he breaks off with, "I could rave on about the various aspects of the play—but at the expense of writing any other news."

At present, Private Yenni, stationed with the U.S. Army in India, is planning a course of study from the University of Chicago. "It will be a joy to study something unassigned and with no regard for credit," he says.

In closing his letter, Private Yenni says, "How I should like to feel spring returning to the campus. In a land of eternal summer, a cool shower would indeed be a blessing. The weather really hasn't been so hot this month as in the last week of March, when the thermometer recorded 107 degrees the day before Easter!"

Waldemar Geltech, violinist, who gave a program this year at the College, will appear May 8 on the Artist Course at Tarkio College, Tarkio.

Residence Hall Has Party Friday for Men Students

Residence Hall women had their first social events last week since the dormitory was opened for women in March.

Friday night, April 27, Residence Hall Women had all men students at the College as guests for an evening of dancing, program, and refreshment. All of the rooms were open for a tour of inspection.

Monday night, April 23, a pajama party was held at the Hall for the incoming women at the dormitory who entered the short course session that day. The party was held at 10 o'clock.

Mary Jane Larison, vice-president at the Residence Hall, was in charge of the arrangements for both social functions.

Sigma Sigma Sigma Has Formal Banquet April 20

Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority had a Founders' Day Dinner on the forty-seventh anniversary of the founding of the national sorority at 7 o'clock, April 20, at the Country Club. The banquet was formal and had the mothers of the sorority women as honored guests.

Martha Polsley, Tharen Erickson, and Bennie Lu Saunders began the program with speeches that followed the regular ceremony which was being used by all the chapters observing the day of founding. Janet Wilson, Wren Stirlen, and Mary Garrett sang "I Am An American," and Judy Harper played a piano selection.

Purple and white flowers and white tapers were the decorations.

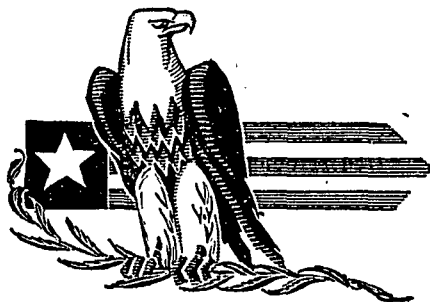
Social Science Men Give Preview of Conference

Wednesday, April 25, on the opening day of the United Nations Conference at San Francisco, a preview of this conference was given by members of the social science department.

Dr. J. Richard Wilmeth reviewed the Bretton Woods conference, and Dr. John Harr spoke on the Pan-American conference held recently at Mexico City. Dr. Julian C. Aldrich spoke on the meaning of the conference which began last Wednesday.

Attend Formal Dinner

Miss Ruth Villars, Miss Marjorie Elliott, and Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Cunningham were guests at a formal dinner at the Home Management House Monday, April 16, at 6:30 o'clock. The hostesses were Miss June Cozine, Clea McClurg, Anna Ruth Steele, Edna Stephens, Vivian Wilson, and Dorothy Ingram. Helen Mundell and Betty O'Brien were maids.



THOSE IN THE
SERVICE OF

Our Country

KILLED IN ACTION

Lieut. Jack W. Willhite, former student and member of the Bearcat football team, has been killed. He had earlier been reported missing in action over Czechoslovakia since Mar. 26. He was a fighter pilot, who had been in service in the Italian theater of war.

Frank D. Lane, Pilot of Liberator, Is Overseas

WITH THE 15TH AAF IN ITALY
—Assigned to active combat duty, Lieut. Frank D. Lane of 3220 Renick St., St. Joseph, Mo., a pilot of a B-24 Liberator, has joined his outfit overseas—a veteran 15th Army Air Force heavy bombardment group that has already participated in more than 185 combat missions against Axis-held installations in the Mediterranean Theatre of Operations.

Prior to entering the service at Sheppard Field, Tex., Apr. 3, 1943, Lieut. Lane was a student at Northwest Missouri State Teachers College, class of '46.

OM 1-c Albert Donald Logan, who was wounded in the Pacific area and who has been convalescing at the Naval hospital in San Diego, Calif., is now spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Logan of Maryville.

Pfc. Joseph Juvenal, who received a shrapnel wound in his leg while in Germany on Jan. 1, is still confined to a hospital in England. His leg has become infected three different times.

Lieut. Col. Robert Perkins, who will be stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., for at least a year, has purchased a home there and will have his family with him.

Sgt. Robert Kelso, who recently spent a furlough in Maryville, has reported to Santa Ana, Calif., for reassignment.

Kent Graves Barber, a former student of the College, went to Fort Leavenworth, Apr. 19, for induction into the armed forces.

Captain Russell Wyman Writes From Guadalcanal

Capt. Russell E. Wyman, who is at Guadalcanal at the present time, recalled former days with the staff of the Northwest Missourian in a letter to the present editor. He expressed his thanks to the staff for sending him the paper. He recalled several people with whom he had worked, such as Bill Mapel, Evelyn Raines, "Slats" Selectman.

"It is very interesting to read what former students are doing and where they are stationed throughout the world," writes Capt. Wyman. "Unfortunately I have met no former students. I would give quite a lot to again have some cold weather or even to see snow."

Capt. Wyman was graduated from the College in 1932.

Former Storekeeper Returns

Storekeeper Clifford Woehler has returned to the ship's company of the Navy V-12 unit at the College, after spending some time at the Great Lakes hospital where he was treated for migraine headaches. Storekeeper William J. Ireland has gone to Great Lakes.

Dario F. Croce, chief specialist of athletics, has left the ship's company of the Navy V-12 at the College to report to a distribution center on the West Coast.

Lieut. John Kessler, commanding officer, has announced that the quota of navy men to train at the College during the July semester is 136.

Mary Marie Smith, who graduated from the College at the close of the winter semester, spent the week-end of April 28, with Lola Klopp and other friends at the College. Miss Smith is a chemist with Phillips '66 in Kansas City.

COLLEGE WEDDINGS

Caywood-Linch

Miss Hilda Caywood, a graduate of the College, and Lyle W. Linch of St. Louis were married, Apr. 2, in St. Louis, where the bride has been a teacher for several years.

WAA HOLDS ANNUAL PLAY DAY APRIL 28

Students From High Schools Participate in Sports.

The Women's Athletic Association held its annual Play Day on Saturday, Apr. 28. The event was attended by students of the following high schools: Burlington Junction, Graham, Hopkins, Horace Mann, Maryville, McFall, Parnell, Pickering, Chariton, Iowa; Ottumwa, Iowa; St. Benedict's High School at Clyde, Central High School at St. Joseph, and Tarkio.

President Uel W. Lamkin gave a few words of greeting at the morning assembly, and Tharen Erickson introduced Dean J. W. Jones, Miss Dorothy Truex, Miss Wincle Ann Carruth, and Miss Bonnie Magill to the visitors.

The program for the rest of the day included a square dance, volley ball tournament, badminton, shuffle board, table tennis, basketball, swimming, lunch at College Park, and General Assembly. At the assembly the group was entertained by the Dance Club under the direction of Miss Carruth.

Among the faculty sponsors of the visiting high schools were two former graduates of the College. Miss Vida Bernau, a physical education major who was graduated in 1942, brought the group which traveled the greatest distance to participate in Play Day. They were representatives from Ottumwa, Iowa. Miss Virginia Ramsay, also a physical education major who was graduated in 1941, brought her students from Chariton, Iowa.

Horace Mann Has Memorial Service Friday, April 13

Horace Mann students and faculty silently filed into the auditorium at 2 o'clock, Friday afternoon, Apr. 13, to pay tribute to the late President of the United States. In the center of the stage was a flag of the United States, a picture of Franklin Delano Roosevelt at the base of the flag, and candles burning on either side.

Betty McPherson presented an organ recital consisting of the following selections: "Evening Meditation," Armstrong; "Cradle Song," Spinney; "To a Lily," Hodson; "Ave Maria," Schubert; "Barcarolle," Offenbach-Gaul; and "Vesper Hymn," Bishop. Dr. J. C. Aldrich read the prayer by Stephen Vincent Benet that President Roosevelt had used at the United Nations Day ceremony at the White House, June 15, 1942.

Dr. M. O. Cunningham, superintendent of Horace Mann, was in charge of the arrangements for the memorial service.

Dr. Irene Mueller Gives Lecture on Plant Life

Dr. Irene Mueller spoke Sunday, April 29, at 4 o'clock in the Horace Mann auditorium, on "The Prairie Underground," which was her subject for her February Lecture which had been postponed from Feb. 4.

Dr. Mueller emphasized the wide variety of plants found in the prairie, and their means of underground propagation to adapt themselves to changing climatic conditions. She also showed the relation of changing plant life to changing climatic conditions.

Memory of Late President

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cer, said a few words on "Our Commander-in-Chief." Taps and securing of Navy Personnel closed the memorial services.

College Holds Service.

Miss Marian Kerr opened the College memorial service for the late Franklin Delano Roosevelt on Wednesday morning, Apr. 18, with a piano solo, and Dr. Harry Dildine read the prayer written by Stephen Vincent Benet, which prayer President Roosevelt had used on United Nations Day in 1942. The String Ensemble presented a selection, and Mr. John Rudin read "O Captain! My Captain!"

President Uel W. Lamkin gave the tribute to the late president. In opening, Mr. Lamkin quoted the line "Death loves a shining mark" and added to it, "If this be true, death should be satisfied." He pointed out that America has been living in a revolution, that Mr. Roosevelt was champion of that revolution, and that he brought to the White House a new philosophy, "the business of the United States government is the welfare of its people."

Flora Flores, Eva Marie Calix, Johann Saemundsson, and Blaine Steck placed wreaths at the foot of the American flag while Miss Ruth Nelson played "Ave Maria." The memorial service was brought to a close when Mr. Ralph Hartzel sang "The Lord's Prayer."

Shen-Hi-Can Editors Visit Office

Three members of the staff of the Shenandoah High School paper, "Shen-Hi-Can," visited the Northwest Missourian office, April 19. Julia Ferguson, editor, Monty Pitner, assistant editor, and Janice Bentall, reporter, accompanied five other students to the Speech and Dramatics festival at the College.

Eugene Dixon, B. S., 1920, who is principal of the elementary and junior high schools of Hamburg, Ia., was a visitor at the College, Apr. 17.

Don't forget the Seventh War Loan Drive.

Sullengers of Richmond Have Three Graduates

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Sullenger of Richmond are going to have to buy three—or perhaps four—graduation presents this year. Their daughter, Clara Belle Sullenger, will receive her degree of B. S. in Education from the College in May, and her degree of B. A. in August.

Keith Sullenger, their son, will be graduated from the Richmond high school in May. Mary Elizabeth, another daughter, was graduated Apr. 20 from the eighth grade in a rural school.

Alpha Sigmas Have Picnic

Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority had a picnic for the Alpha Phi Omega fraternity on Saturday evening, Apr. 21, at the Maryville country club. After wieners and cokes were served around a bonfire, the group went to the Tivoli theater, where they danced in the lounge until time for the midnight show to start.

Kappa Omicron Phi Has Reception

Kappa Omicron Phi held its annual Senior Reception, Monday evening, April 23, in the home economics dining room at the College. A program followed the dinner and gifts were presented to the senior members. Helen Mundell, president for the coming year, presided.

Their "Quota" may be death—yours is Bigger Bonds.

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